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Page 2 7. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary) Computer Readable Copy Paper Copy (identical to computer copy) b. Statement verifying identity of above copies C. If a CONTINUING Application, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information: | Continuation Divisional Continuation-in-part of prior application no: 10/320,894, filed December 17, 2002, which, in turn, is a continuation of <u>09/798,589</u>, filed <u>March 2, 2001</u>, Examiner Rao, Deepak R., Group/Art Unit 1624. (The cross reference has been/will be inserted on page one of the specification). This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/200098, filed 27 April 2000. (The cross reference has been inserted on page one of the specification). Incorporation By Reference (useable if filing a continuation/divisional and a copy of the declaration from the prior application is enclosed.) The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein. **ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS** 7. Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s)) 8. 37 CFR §3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee) 9. Verified English Translation Document (if applicable) 10. Information Disclosure Copies of IDS Citations Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 11. **Preliminary Amendment** 12. Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be specifically itemized) 13. *Small Entity Statement(s) Statement filed in prior application, (PTO/SB/09-12) Status still proper and desired 14. Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed) 15. Other: **Application Data Sheet CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS Customer Number or Bar Code Label** 005487 (Insert Customer No. or Attach bar code label here) Irying Newman, Reg. No. Attorney/Agent for Applicant

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